

THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION
REUNION.

To-day, the surviving members of the first and second Constitutional Conventions of this State, held a reunion at Madison. The number of surviving members of the second Convention which framed the Constitution, is about one third, and about half of these attended this afternoon. The others left the State years ago, and living too great a distance could not probably make it convenient to attend. Hon. Morgan L. Martin, of Green Bay, President of the Second Convention, called the meeting to order, and Lafayette Kellogg, now clerk of the Supreme Court, and Secretary of the first Convention, occupied his old place as Secretary of the reunion. Among the reporters of the old Convention were David Atwood and H. A. Tenney, and this afternoon both were present and reported the proceedings for the daily papers.

Of the old constitutionalists, Dane and Rock counties each send six to the reunion. Among the latter are A. M. Carter, of Johnsonville, E. A. Foote, of Footville, John Hackett, of Beloit, A. Hyatt Smith of Janesville, S. P. Hammond, and David L. Mills, of Evansville. Wisconsin has made gigantic strides toward prosperity since the Convention of '48. Then the population was hardly 275,000, now it is upwards of a million and a quarter. We were then without railroads, and in 1878 we have close to three thousand miles of iron rails. There were not then a million acres of improved land in the Territory, and to-day we have over seven millions. The total value of all live stock did not reach four million dollars in 1848, and in 1878 the total footed up more than 50 millions. We did not have a charitable institution, or a public building of any kind worth mentioning when the Constitution was framed in 1848, but now the State ranks among the foremost in the Union in its public institutions, which are imposing in architectural design, and cost millions of dollars. The condition of things then and now, makes a striking comparison, the study of which, by the veterans at Madison, must be one of unusual interest.

THE ARMY BILL.

When the silver question is practically settled, General Banning's army bill will be the next important measure taken up. This measure seeks to lessen the expenses of the army about six million dollars a year, but its friends claim that it will not materially interfere with the strength and efficiency of the army. The bill contemplates important changes in the rank, line, pay and organization of the military establishment with a reduction of the number of enlisted men to 30,000. The cavalry regiments are reduced from ten to six; the infantry regiments from twenty-five to fifteen; and the artillery from five to three. The Bureau of Military Justice is abolished and an officer with the rank of colonel is to be detailed as Judge Advocate. The number of paymasters is reduced from fifty-two to twenty-five. The number of major-generals is reduced to one; of brigadier-generals, to three. Hereafter no civilians are to be engaged as professors at West Point, but the places are to be filled by detail from the army. Officers are to be retired at the age of sixty-two or after they have served forty-five years unless they shall have received a vote of thanks from Congress for distinguished services, in which case they may be retained until they have served fifty-five years. These are the general features of the bill very briefly given.

General Banning claims for the bill that while it will reduce army expenses about six millions annually, it will not impair the fighting strength of the army. It is questionable whether it is a wise policy to meddle very much with the army. Numerically, its strength is very moderate considering the vast territory of the country, and any measure looking toward a reduction in the enlisted men, should be carefully considered by Congress. There is no doubt that in some instances, expenses in maintaining the army could be very much reduced, as for example, the employment of army officers at West Point as teachers and professors, instead of civilians. Like changes might properly be made in the offices of the Judge Advocate, the Commissary General of Subsistence, the Paymaster General, the Chief of Ordnance, and the Chief of Staff. In some of the lesser offices there might be made some important reductions in salaries, taking for instance the paymasters, of which there are now fifty-two. Of course common sense dictates that there is no possible use for so many paymasters in time of peace. In considering the reduction of the army—a measure which the Democrats will make strenuous efforts to carry through—they should bear in mind the remarks Mr. Williams recently uttered in Congress—"there is a parsimony that scatters and wastes; there is a generosity that gathers and saves."

THE LEGISLATIVE MANUAL.

We are indebted to Hon. Fenner Kimball for a copy of the Legislative Manual for 1878 which makes the seventeenth annual edition. The compiler for the last three years is R. M. Bashford, Esq., of Madison. He has done his work well, in every particular—showing great care, unflinching industry, and practical ability in discharging his duties as compiler. Nothing of an essential character has been omitted, and many new and valuable features have been added. In the preface to the Manual, Mr. Bashford, says: "In addition to the statistical and other information required by law to be contained in this publication, the Compiler has included

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LEGISLATURE.

Numerous Petitions Favoring
a Prohibitory Liquor Law.

Chas. E. Bross Elected Chief
Clerk of the State Senate.

Bills and Resolutions Introduced
and Passed.Anniversary of the Signing of
the State Constitution.Meeting of the Survivors at the
State Capitol.

FROM MADISON.

Special dispatch to the Janesville Gazette.
MADISON, Feb. 1, 1878.
SENATE.

Numerous petitions were introduced for the passage of a Constitutional amendment prohibiting the liquor traffic within the State.

The State Librarian reported twelve thousand five hundred and twenty-five volumes of Supreme Court reports on hand not in use.

Bills were introduced authorizing the exchange of publications between the State Historical Society and University of Wisconsin.

Relative to the costs and fees.

To allow the inmates of State institutions to exercise the right of conscience in matters of belief.

Providing for fine persons for walking or riding on railroad tracks or over railroad bridges.

Bills were passed establishing and maintaining a public library in the city of Milwaukee.

Changing the name of the Madison Mutual Insurance Company to Madison Fire Insurance Company.

Making eight consecutive years of insanity a sufficient ground for divorce.

Hon. A. J. Turner, Chief Clerk of the Senate, having been appointed Railroad Commissioner, Charles E. Bross has been chosen to succeed him. The appointment of Bross is an excellent one and gives universal satisfaction.

ASSEMBLY.

Sundry petitions introduced against the removal of the Bible from the public schools.

For an amendment of usury law.

For the payment of wages in lawful money.

To establish a bureau of labor.

Against the proposed county of Flambeau.

Resolutions were introduced ordering printed five hundred copies of Moses M. Strong's historical address, delivered last night.

Asking the Statute Revisers how soon they will complete their work.

authorizing the printing of Gov. Smith's address in French and German.

A resolution was passed granting the chamber to Dr. S. H. Carpenter for a scientific address next Tuesday evening.

Relative to macadamizing highways.

Bills were introduced providing for a uniform system of keeping town records.

Extending the time of the construction of the North Wisconsin Railroad.

Defining the duties of Supreme Court reporter.

Relative to assessment rolls and collection of delinquent taxes.

Codifying laws.

Relative to mileage of legislative members.

Relative to the collection of persons, taxes in Milwaukee.

Both houses adjourned till Monday evening.

To-day is the thirtieth anniversary of the signing of the State Constitution. The surviving members of first and second constitutional conventions are holding a reunion in the Supreme Court chamber, this afternoon. Morgan L. Martin, of Green Bay, president of the second convention, called the meeting to order, and Lafayette Kellogg, Secretary of the first convention, occupied his old place, while the surviving reporters, Gen. David Atwood and Major H. A. Tenney, are reporting the proceedings for the city press.

As the roll is called the members present respond or pay tribute. Only about one-third of the members of the second convention are alive, and about half that number are present. They are a venerable congregation of white-haired pioneers, and are evidently enjoying themselves at this, the first reunion since eighteen forty-eight.

THE TRADE DOLLAR.

The New York Assistant Treasurer Refuses to Take the Trade Dollar from the Postmaster.

New York, Jan. 31.—Postmaster James has addressed the following telegram to Postmaster-General Key:

The Assistant Treasurer of the United States at New York refuses to accept the trade dollar on deposit from this office, and I am therefore compelled to refuse them from the public, which causes serious annoyance and complaint. Please instruct me in regard to the matter.

The Assistant Treasurer says that the reason why he refuses to receive the trade dollar is because it is not legal tender, and that were he to succeed and his accounts closed up his successor would unquestionably refuse to countenance any trade dollars he had accepted.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Annual Address by Hon. Moses M. Strong—History of the Indian War.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 31.—The annual address before the Historical Society was de-

livered in the Assembly chamber to-night, by the Hon. Moses M. Strong. The chamber was crowded by the more intelligent citizens, members of the Legislature, and a large number of ladies. Ex-Gov. Washburn being absent, the meeting was presided over by Morgan L. Martin, of Green Bay. Mr. Strong gave a clear and comprehensive history of the Indian war in Wisconsin from 1716 to the close of the Blackhawk War, in 1832. The speaker showed that Indian conflicts with the whites were the result of the settlement of the country, from the first settlement in Virginia to the close of the last war with the Nez Percés and Sioux. His descriptions of some of the conflicts between Indians and whites in the early settlement of this State, and the Northwestern Territory, were very vivid, and chained the attention of his vast audience. He paid a high tribute to the character of Gen. Dodge. His lecture throughout was eagerly listened to, and it will be a valuable acquisition to the historical collection of the Historical Society.

PLOTING.

The Louisiana Returning Board Trouble—Sherman and Stoughton to be Indicted.

Washington, Jan. 31.—If Democratic predictions amount to anything, the first fruits of the pacification policy will be the indictment of John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury, and E. W. Stoughton, Minister to Russia, in the State courts of Louisiana, in connection with Wells, Anderson, et al., of the Returning Board, for conspiracy.

A Democrat, supposed to be in the confidence of his party managers in Louisiana, announced to-day that within thirty days John Sherman would be called upon to plead to such an indictment. He said that Attorney General Ogden had already in his possession documentary evidence more than sufficient to procure an indictment, but he did not wish to use it until Anderson's trial, which is now pending, was concluded. There was no doubt, he said, of Anderson's conviction, and as Anderson had threatened that if he went to jail, Secretary Sherman would have to go with him. Ogden thought Anderson would consent to become a witness against Sherman, and he would prefer to give the former immunity than have the conviction of the latter in any doubt. This statement comes from a Democrat of prominence, and is important only in connection with the circumstances about to be related. Governor Packard, who arrived here this morning direct from New Orleans, gives it as his opinion that Anderson will be convicted. The jury before which he is being tried, was chosen to convict, and will not disappoint expectations, but Packard says Anderson will suffer years in the Penitentiary before he would, if he could, assist the Democrats to snare Secretary Sherman in any way. Others who know Anderson intimately concur in this opinion. The evidence against Sherman and Stoughton, which Ogden is said to be holding back, consists of a document signed by their names, in which a man named Anderson (not of the Returning Board, but another) and a man named Weber are assured of protection and recognition in case they perform what is desired of them. D. A. Weber was supervisor of election in East Feliciana Parish, and Anderson held the same office in East Feliciana.

SUICIDE.

Adrian Mich, Jan. 31.—The wife of D. M. Howard, of Dover, near this city, ended her life last night by jumping into a well. She has been subject to spells of insanity, and on the 11th inst. was returned convalescent from the Wayne County Asylum, where she was sent for treatment last September.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 31.—A Columbus, Wis., special says Joseph Schaeffer, a prominent citizen, formerly Register of Deeds of Columbia County, suicided this morning by shooting. Deceased was comparatively wealthy, but had fits of despondency, during one of which he committed the deed. He leaves a wife and seven children.

SILVER.

Washington, Jan. 31.—Stanley Matthews stated to-night that the Bland bill would probably not be disposed of by the Senate before the last of next week. An adjournment was taken till Monday, to accommodate several Senators who desired to speak and were not prepared. Burnside, Bayard, Blaine and Thurman intend to speak.

The silver certificates proposed to be issued in the amendments offered in the Senate by Messrs. Bayard and Morgan are to be received at all duties of the Government, including custom duties.

O'LEARY'S WALK.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 31.—O'Leary completed half of his 400-mile walk in two minutes less than the half allotted him, and is still in good condition. Bartlett, the amateur, who attempted to walk half the same distance in sixty-two hours fell short seventy-four hours.

The Proposed Tariff.

The following are the main provisions of the new tariff bill to be submitted to-morrow by the sub-committee to the full committee on Ways and Means:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled, That after the 15th day of January, 1879, in lieu of duties heretofore levied, assessed and collected on merchandise imported into the United States, there shall be assessed, levied and collected upon the following named articles the following rates of duty, and all merchandise not herein provided for shall be free of duty; and all parts of this act shall take effect on the day aforesaid:

Cotton and cotton goods; all manufacturers' cotton, except denim; drillings, bed-ticking, ginghams, plaids, cottons, pastilions, and goods of like description that are not bleached, colored, stained, painted or printed, and not exceeding one hundred threads to the square inch, counting warp and filling, and exceeding in weight five ounces per square yard, 2 cents; per square yard if colored, stained, painted or printed, 3 cents; on finer goods of like description, not exceeding two hundred threads to the square inch, counting warp and filling, unbleached, 2½ cents per square yard.

It may sound like a paradox, yet the breaking of both wings of an army is a pretty sure way of making it fly.

ANOTHER HORROR.

During the Prevalence of a
Furious Gale, the Steam-
ship Metropolis,

Bound for Para, Goes Ashore
on the North Carolina
Coast.

A Belief that Out of Three Hun-
dred and Fifty Souls but Fifty
Were Saved.

ANOTHER HORROR.

Wreck of the Steamship Metropolis—Three
Hundred Persons Supposed to be Lost.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The Signal Service observer at Kettle Hawk, N. C., reports to the Chief Signal Officer as follows:

"The steamship Metropolis stranded on Currituck beach, three miles south Currituck lighthouse, and is a total loss. Two hundred and forty-eight persons on board. Fifty swam ashore, and is a total loss. No assistance from the life-saving station."

The Chief Signal Officer has ordered one of the operators at Kitty Hawk station to go at once on horseback to the scene of the wreck and open a telegraph station there, and forward all information as rapidly as can be obtained. The wreck is about twenty miles north from Kitty Hawk station.

The Metropolis sailed Tuesday from Philadelphia for Brazil. She was dispatched by the contractors for the Madeira and Mamore Railroad, and carried 300 laborers; also 500 tons of iron and several mails from Brazil. The steamer was commanded by Captain Ankers. Paul J. White, formerly Chief Engineer of the Light Navigation Company, and James I. Moore, a well-known engineer, were in charge of her cargo of railroad stores, etc.

The messenger who brought the news of the wreck of the Metropolis to the operator at Kitty Hawk, did not visit the wreck, but, as far as can be ascertained at present, it appears there are persons still on board. Full particulars will be obtained as soon as the operator reaches the scene, whether he started at 7:30 p. m., and should reach there by midnight. The Secretary of the Navy has directed Admiral Treachard, in command at Norfolk, to send a steam launch through the canal to the scene of the wreck. The signal sergeant at Norfolk reports that the steamer Croatan and the coast wrecking steamer Rescue have started.

New York, Jan. 31.—The Etta M. Tucker, of Portland, Me., Capt. Horber, from Rio Janeiro, Dec. 15, for this port, went ashore near Ashbury Park, N. J., last night, and has gone to pieces. Her crew were rescued by the crew of life-saving station No. 6. She was 276 tons burden, and was 119 feet over all. Her cargo consisted of 4,900 bags of coffee for Bask & Jernon, No. 78 Beaver street. It was valued at \$100,000, and was insured.

NEWS ITEMS.

A Boston bachelor is said to own a dress coat which he has loaned on twenty-three occasions to as many bridegrooms to get married in.

The House Committee on Pacific Railroads in Congress has agreed to recommend the extension of the time for the completion of the Northern Pacific Railroad ten years.

Isabella Beecher Hooker was before the House Judiciary Committee in Congress, yesterday, in behalf of the taxpayers of the United States. Her argument was to the effect that every woman who was a taxpayer was entitled to vote.

That the Suez Canal is proving a success is shown by the steadily increasing business it is doing. In 1875, 1,494 vessels passed through, paying \$4,777,366 in tolls; in 1876 the figures were 1,457 and \$5,994,999; in 1877, 1,663 and \$6,532,273.

Mr. Sam Clay, of Bourbon, Ky., owns nearly enough land to enable him to ride to Paris, Ky., on his own property. The profits on his farming operations enable him to buy 500 or 600 acres of blue grass every year.

A proposition is being seriously considered to dam the Arkansas and Platte rivers, and thus turn the waters into the great desert in the western part of Kansas and Nebraska, whence, by tapping the artificial lake, streams may be secured for irrigating purposes.

The cost of the Paris police force for 1878 is estimated at \$200,000. This includes the cost of the fire brigade and the care of the market. The police force proper numbers 7,695 persons, and altogether about 50,000 persons are employed in one way or another by the Prefecture of Police.

George Hull, the inventor of the Cardiff Giant, and more recently of the Colorado stone man, is 55 years of age, and seems to have had a marvellous life. He is now according to the New York Tribune, he was born in Connecticut, and when a young man invented the "star-back" playing-cards swindle, traveling through the country with his cousin. The latter would go in advance and sell the cards, while Hull, who was fine looking, well dressed and of good address, followed and fleeced the amateur gamblers.

A Chili Farmer Who Loves to Fish. From the Rochester Sunday Herald.

In Chili there is an elderly farmer who is passionately fond of sport—especially fishing and hunting—and he has a son who is a chip of the old block in that as well as other respects.

One day last summer the old gentleman left home, but before going, set his boy at a job he was anxious to have done. He returned sooner than he was expected, he found the boy was missing.

"Where's Tom?" he growled, as he entered the door.

"Gone fishing," said the girl.

"Fishing! the rascal! I'll fish him when I catch him."

And away the angry old fellow went for the brook. Coming within hailing distance of his hopeful son who was bending eagerly over the stream, the father yelled:

"Tom! you scoundrel, Tom!"

"There was a deprecating movement of one hand on the part of the boy, who did not, however, turn his head. Still more angry the avenging parent came nearer and bawled out—

"I'll learn you to stay home and work when—"

"Sh! sh! sh! father," said young Isaac Walton, "I've got a bite."

The old fellow's passion perceptibly cooled at that announcement, and, fortunately for the boy, the latter just then hauled up a handsome perch. This was too much

for dad, who sprang forward and helped unfasten the fish, and then—

"Tom, have you got another hook?"

"Victory perched on the boy's fish-line."

A WARNING.

She was only sixteen; she was pretty; Her foot was bewitchingly small! Her father was the key of the owners is, And, fact most delightful of all, Had reason to think, as I fancied, In terms I'd be sorry to name. (Let the time, if you please, be last summer, The scene at St. John, in N. B.)

I was there on a pleasure excursion, Had found it exceedingly tame; Had reviled both the place and the people In terms I'd be sorry to name. When it chanced I met with this charming— You'll excuse my not mentioning how! Suffice it to say that her father (I can take his Madeira's now)

Knew some of my friends or relations, And, in hearty Canadian style, Declared me his guest for a fortnight, And would take no denial the while. And she! Oh, she blushed and said nothing, But he looked so deliciously sweet, I'd have given if he'd lived in the almshouse, Instead of on Oliver street.

We'll omit the events of my visit; Enough that with rapidity I burned, And, as mentioned before, I had causes For believing my love was returned; And we'll come to the end of my preamble, To the story I asked to tell, Of the service she asked me to do, And the fate that my efforts befell.

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She said she'd a cousin in Boston To whom she'd some trifle to send; And (here came the delicate bit of business, Regarding me quite as a friend, She asked, as a very great favor, That I take a trunk and my care; And then, I consenting, she gave me— I won't tell you what, I declare.

We were just coming up Boston Harbor When a man in blue flannel came round, And, demanding the keys of the trunk, Examined what business was found. Imagine my painful emotion When he said, "I'm sorry to be told That the duties on what the trunk carried Would be ninety-eight dollars in gold!"

I paid it—it took all my money And some that I borrowed—before That trunk was released from its duress And allowed to be carried on shore. And the warning I wish to intimate On all who this episode know, Is to never intrude upon Boston For the people who live at St. John.

PRESS NOTES.

Good resolutions are like horses. The first cause is of less importance than the keeping.

The Norfolk county Unitarian conference having resolved against the Bland bill, we expect to see the next gathering of silver men pass resolutions in favor of a hell.—Boston Herald.

We might as well have a neophyte or a nobody for President as the most sagacious and experienced statesman in the country if he is to be a mere passive spectator while a misguided Congress brings ruin to the most important public interests.—New York Herald.

An Indiana man has died having a collection of 100,000 beetles. Yet there are men here among us who will not leave a collection of even a dozen beetles when they die. For shame!—Worcester Press.

It is reported that when the Czar met the hero of Plevna, and congratulated him on his bravery the intrepid Osman replied, "Sir, I fight for fatherland." "True," said the Czar, "and I also fight for fatherland."—Judy.

Visitors at Washington feel repudiation in the air. They find a silver atmosphere in the Senate and in the House of Representatives. Why? Because all the influences on that side are vital and energetic. The leaders know just where they are. They are not only ready but eager to declare themselves. They are aggressive, because they feel behind them in the words of their constituents at home, and in their communications with them, the tremendous power of a quick and urgent opinion which they dare not resist and which will not let them rest. If their influences at work as energetically on the other side, would the country have given so poor an account of themselves, or no account at all as many of them, have done?—New York Evening Post.

It is only now once in a while that the public get hold of a man who was once a boy and acted like a boy. One of this sort was met at the Central depot the other day. Feeling tired, and yet making arrangements to see all that was to be seen, sat down on a bench outside. Passing his hand over it several times he said to himself: "No ticks or pins put there to make a fellow up and ready to hold a feller down." He looked it over very carefully and continued: "No fresh paint on here to spile clothes, and no acid to spile the hide." He made a last examination and felt satisfied to say: "No place above here to pour water down my back—no bricks to fall on my head—no Bogardus' kicker under it—no bumble bees around now, and I think I can safely set down and take comfort."—Detroit Free Press.

Lighting Matches.

The match box, the wall and the carpet are the three substances upon which the average woman will consent to light a match, and it should be noticed, as a curious and as yet unexplained fact, that no woman, in any circumstances, dreams of lighting matches on the under side of a marble mantel-piece. Man, on the other hand, regards the mantel-piece as the natural complement of the match, and if he happens to be near one when about to light a match, uniformly scratches it on the under side of the marble. Some men prefer to light matches on the soles of their boots, except, of course, when the soles in question are damp. The vast majority of male human beings, whether men, boys or advocates of female dress reform, light their matches on their trousers.—N. Y. Times.

The Antecedents of Disease. Among the antecedents of disease are inattention in the circulation of the blood, an unnatural condition of the physique, indicating that the life current is deficient in nutritive properties, a bad, haggard, look, inability to digest the food, a loss of appetite and strength, and a sensation of unnatural languor. All these may be regarded as among the indices of approaching disease, which will eventually attack the system and overwhelm it, if it is not built up and fortified in advance. Invigorate, then, without loss of time, making choice of the greatest vitalizing agent extant, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, an elixir which has given health and vigor to myriads of the sick and debilitated, which is avouched by physicians and analysts to be pure as well as effective, which is immensely popular in this country, and extensively used abroad, and which stands for years one of the leading medical staples of America. J. A. BENT.

DR. V. CLARENCE PRICE Can be consulted at JANEVILLE, MYERS HOUSE, Saturday and Sunday, the 3d and 4th of March. Patients will address all letters to Dr. V. Clarence Price, Waukegan, Ill., with stamp. J. A. BENT.

COUNTY COURT, ROCK COUNTY.—In the matter of the estate of William Amer, deceased. On reading and filing an instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, and an accompanying petition of F. S. Bidwell, the executor of the last will of said deceased, representing that said deceased died at said city on the 21st day of January, 1878, leaving said instrument, in which your petitioner is appointed the executor thereof, and praying that the same may be proved, and letters testamentary issued to him; it is ordered that said matter be heard before this court, at the office of the judge thereof, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the 31st day of February next, at 10 o'clock a. m. And it is further ordered, that public notice thereof, be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively once each week, prior to said day of hearing, in the Janesville Gazette, a daily newspaper, printed and published at said city—Dated January 29th, 1878. By the Court, AMOS P. PRICHARD, County Judge.

NO, FOR NEBRASKA! Good Prairie at \$1 to \$1.50 per acre. Free information about the best lands for sale in Nebraska, Soldiers, come and hear about your last good chance for land. Call at No. 46 Main street, Janesville, Wis., near Gazette office Tuesday, February 5, 1878. J. A. BENT.

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Constables' Accounts with Rock County AT GAZETTE OFFICE.

BLANKS! FOR: AT GAZETTE OFFICE.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1878.

MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY.
Trains at Janesville station.

From	Time
From Monroe	8:30 a. m.
From Prairie du Chien	9:30 a. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	10:30 a. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	1:30 p. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	4:30 p. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	7:30 p. m.

From	Time
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	8:30 a. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	11:30 a. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	2:30 p. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	5:30 p. m.
From Chicago, Milwaukee and East	8:30 p. m.

Chicago & Northwestern R. R.
Trains at Janesville station.

From	Time
From Chicago	8:30 a. m.
From Chicago	11:30 a. m.
From Chicago	2:30 p. m.
From Chicago	5:30 p. m.
From Chicago	8:30 p. m.

Post-Office, Winter Table.

The mails arrive at the Janesville Post Office as follows:

From	Time
Chicago and Way	1:40 p. m.
Chicago and Way	2:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	3:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	4:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	5:30 p. m.

Mail close at the Janesville Post Office as follows:

From	Time
Chicago and Way	8:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	9:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	10:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	11:30 p. m.
Chicago and Way	12:30 a. m.

Overland Mail Close.

Center and Leyden, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

East Troy, via Johnsonville, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Daily from 8:30 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. On Sundays from 12:30 p. m. to 1:30 p. m.

Trade dollars are circulating freely in Boston.

Mexican dollars are plenty in Davenport, Iowa.

Twenty million acres of Wisconsin land have never been touched by plow.

The orange product in Florida for the year 1877 was seventeen million oranges.

New Hampshire's tobacco crop averages one thousand and five hundred pounds to the acre.

The New York barbers are trying hard to suppress a number of shops which shave for five cents.

The Iowa City oatmeal factory has received an order from Europe for five carloads of oatmeal.

California has sixty million acres in vineyards, and manufactures annually ten million gallons of wine.

A bill is before the Mississippi Legislature to exempt from taxation all lands in the State cultivated in fruit, grass, and grain.

During the year 1877 42,360 paupers in Indiana were cared for at the expense of the various counties in the State at a cost of \$600,626.

Two hundred and fifty white men recently eagerly accepted a chance to work for a dollar a day, at the filling in and grading of Mission bay, near San Francisco.

During the month of December, sixteen hundred emigrants from Tennessee, Alabama, and North Carolina, passed through Chattanooga en route for Texas.

A widow 60 years of age, and having ten children, has just married a youth under 19, in St. Albans, Vt., much to the disgust of her sons. One of them knocked the bridegroom down.

Wm. Galloway, of Jefferson, Wis., received \$15,407.07 from his cheese factory last year. He made 144,992 pounds of cheese from 1,393,363 pounds of milk from 413 cows. It required nearly ten pounds of milk for one of cheese.

The wholesale merchants of the United States now employ, all told, not less than sixty thousand travelers, at an average expense of at least \$300 each, making a direct cost to the wholesalers, of this system the enormous aggregate of \$180,000,000 a year.

A San Francisco letter says: "At present prices the banana mines, Consolidated Virginia and California, are paying about 8 per cent. per month. Consolidated paid a dividend last month of \$2 per share and sold with dividend of \$2 for \$13 to \$15; California, same dividend, selling for \$23. One cause being the apprehension that they may give out any day, which is very true, as the product has been enormous, and must necessarily be to enable the two mines to pay over \$1,000,000 each every month for four years, to do which nearly \$4,000,000 per month must be taken out in gross."

The New York Herald says: "The undiminished fact and figures will serve to strengthen an impression, and which will gain ground among the thinking merchants of the trade, that, come peace or war, the condition of the breadstuff market is a healthy and sound one, and that in the immediate future values are more likely to advance than to retrograde, especially if farmers hold their own. Taking the returns of twelve of the principal ports in the United Kingdom, the total this year amounts to 13,160,000 bushels, against 11,024,000 bushels in 1877, and 17,960,000 in 1876. Compared with last year their surplus at present is about 2,160,000 bushels, the greater portion of which is lying in London granaries, and cannot affect that country at large as if it were distributed among the several outports. On the other hand, Glasgow shows a falling-off on the twelve months of over 800,000 bushels, while Liverpool and Gloucester have augmented about 320,000 bushels and Dublin and Bristol about 200,000 bushels respectively. As a set-off against the increased stocks the floating supply of wheat and flour is at least 700,000 bushels below that of the corresponding period in 1877. According to latest advices the quantity on passage consists of 9,280,000 bushels, compared with 17,024,000. Of the foregoing amount, 5,600,000 bushels are California and Oregon, of which not more than 2,000,000 bushels can reach the United Kingdom before the 1st of March, assuming that the ships make the voyage in four months and a half."

A Boston letter says: "The Boston show, 'Is black and white' with very curious markings. When it was brought upon the platform it set up, its haunches, and at

the word gave first one paw and then both. Then it put both paws upon an upright, and while it was in this position a light stick was balanced upon its nose, remaining there for fully half a minute. Pussy then took a flying leap through a hoop and then through another covered with paper, concluding with feigning death.

"Bill to Cheapen the Cost of Education."

Cheapness and uniformity in school books, say the advocates of the school-book bill now in the legislature, are necessary to the success of our public school system. Children, they say, cannot learn without books, and poor people cannot buy books for their children unless they are cheap—very cheap; and they cannot be made very cheap unless the State takes a monopoly of the business. If this be granted we have another proposition to make, which seems to be equally true, namely: Clothes are a necessity to the success of our public school system, because children cannot go to school in this climate without them; and poor people cannot buy comfortable clothes for their children unless they are cheap—very cheap; and they cannot be made very cheap unless the State takes a monopoly of the business. If the former proposition be true, much more is the latter, for it is first necessary to the success of our public school system that the children be got to the school house, and they cannot be got there, especially in very cold weather, without clothes; or if they could it would be at the danger of their health, and to the scandal of society. Therefore if the school-book bill is to pass we insist that it shall be preceded by a school-clothes bill—a bill to make school-clothes uniform. Clothing is too high and should be brought low, if our youth are to be educated and the republic preserved. The people demand cheap clothes for their children, and we trust that Ed. Keogh, or some other statesman, will introduce a bill providing that the editors of the Madison papers be constituted a committee to select the series of clothes to be worn by the youthful seekers after knowledge, and to let their construction to the lowest bidder. The series should be made to include red flannel under-clothing, and thoroughly wadded coats, pants and dresses, that the tender backs and limbs of the embryo scholars shall be safely guarded, not only against the rude blast of our inhospitable climate, but against the ruler, ferule and rawhide. With such a law ignorance and superstition would be banished from our fair State.

Chicago & Northwestern R. R.

Trains at Janesville station.

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GROCERIES, &C.

DUPRE HAMS, Bacon, and Dried Beef, cheaper than ever at DENNISTON'S.

FURNISH HADDIES, Halibut, Yarmouth Mollies, and Scaled Herrings, at DENNISTON'S.

LANFAIR'S Celebrated Challenge Fresh Oysters, received direct from Baltimore, at DENNISTON'S.

TO ARRIVE this week from New York, Cross & Blackwell's Potted Meats, in Juncy jars, Sauce in porcelain vases, Paul De Voe's Salt or Celery, Salate Dressing, Robinson's Barley Flour, Leibig's Extract of Meat, &c., at DENNISTON'S.

Jan 18th 49 West Milwaukee street.

Something that the

Workingmen

Should Know!

As well as all others who purchase Groceries and Provisions, that

VANKIRK,---the GROCER!

Is selling the best 50c New Crop Japan Tea in the city, all grades of sugars at CHICAGO PRICES, freight added.

Finest English Breakfast and Oolong Tea. 80

Finest Young Hyson Tea. 100

Best 50c Peaches. 15

" 30c " 15

" 1 Gal. Canned Apples, preserved. 40

" 30 Canned Tomatoes. 15

" Canned Beans. 15

" Dried Blackberries. 15

" California Peaches. 15

" Rio Coffee, ground and unground. 25

" Old Government Java Coffee. 30

" Fine Cut Tobacco. 40

" Very Choice. 60

" Prime Spanish Smoking. 40

" Havana Cigars for sale. 25

" Choice Domestic Cigars for sale. 25

" Best Hot Butter. 20

" Choice Potatoes per bushel. 40

" The Celebrated Diamond Brand Raw Oysters, per case. 25

The above Oysters warranted the best in the city. All grades of Flour at Mill Prices. The largest and most complete stock of Staple and Groceries in the city to select from. Goods sold for CASH and CASH ONLY, unless by agreement. Goods delivered free of charge. Call and see me, and SAVE MONEY.

apdawit Yours, Respectfully, W. T. VANKIRK.

During the

Next 30 Days!

and in order to do so shall sell Goods

Regardless of Cost

My Stock consists of

Good and Desirable Goods!

Only, as I have already called out and sold all of my stock, and the stock is GOOD, NEW and DESIRABLE, and it

Must be Sold!

as I MUST HAVE THE MONEY, I would also say to those indebted to me on

Book Accounts

that all accounts must be paid during the month of January. Now, this is

THE GOODS ARE GOING

TO BE SOLD!

BARGAINS

I sell all goods as low, and a large portion of them a great deal lower than they can be bought in New York at wholesale.

I MEAN BUSINESS!

and the goods must be sold; so do not fail to call early and secure bargains.

YOURS, RESPECTFULLY,

ISAAC FARNSWORTH.

FORECLOSURE BLANKS!

Printed and For Sale by

GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

JANESVILLE, DECEMBER 18, 1877.

CLOSING OUT SALE.

CHANGE IN BUSINESS!

AND

GREAT

CLOSING OUT

SALE!

The Gazette Counting Room.

Having purchased the Stock of the

GAZETTE PRINTING CO.,

I Centennial Fanning Mill.

I Top Buggy.

All New and Warranted. Call

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MISCELLANEOUS.

THE CASH BUSINESS A SUCCESS!

McCLERNAN & CO.

Wish to inform their friends, and the public in general, that they have just received a large and well selected stock of

Fall & Winter Dry Goods!

Consisting of London and Bordeaux Plaids and Striped Dress Goods, which they will sell at 10 and 12 1/2 cents per yard. Also a handsome line of Colored Cashmeres at 20c per yard. We invite special inspection of

MARY STEWART DOUBLE WIDTH BLACK ALPACA FOR 25 CENTS.

Come and see our Basket Cloth Sulting from 15 to 25c per yard; knowlflake and Knickerbocker Sultings at 12 1/2c. Colored Alpaca and Poplins, at lower prices than anywhere else. We will sell

BLACK CASHMERES

10 per cent less than any other house. We will sell Shawls and Cloaking Beavers 20 per cent less than any other house in the west. Horse Blankets, White Blankets, Waterproofs, Tweeds and Cashmeres, at extraordinary low prices

Our Domestic Department is Immense!

Bleached and Brown Sheetings as low as 5c per yard. Cotton Flannel 10 and 12 1/2c per yard. Our Print Department is the nearest and most select in the city, (so the ladies say). A large and varied assortment of Nubias, Hoods, Knit Jackets, Felt and Balsamor Skirts. A handsome line of Silk and Worsted Fringes.

THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1879.

CITY AND COUNTY.

BRIEF NEWS.

How are you, February?
—Surprise parties are scarce.
—Art study at the parlors of the All Souls church to-morrow evening.
—The sun now climbs out of bed at 7:11 and climbs back again at 5:18.
—Now that there is no hell, the ice-dealers are cutting blocks of frozen water from Devil's Lake.
—When the drunk lead the drunk both fall in the ditch, and then they curse the ditch instead of the booze.
—Gilmore is a man who can but won't blow his own horn. He is Benton having another fellow do it for him.
—Mr. Jos. L. Moore, is spending a few days in the city, and is cordially greeted by many old friends and acquaintances.
—The city officials have had an example set them by the Oshkosh council which has shut down granting of free passes to their city dads who want to take in all the shows.
—Among the attractive features of the programme of the Musical Club next Tuesday evening will be the rendition of two movements of Haydn by four members of the Blind Institute.
—Young Carr, who was implicated in the railroad ticket robbery at Clinton, was to-day released from jail, after remaining there about three months and a half, his sentence having been commuted.
—It is expected that the shoe factory will be running in about two weeks. As soon as the charter is received the new company will complete its organization, commence canvassing for orders, and soon after throw open the doors, and commence life in earnest.
—A tramp is in custody at the jail who answers apparently the description given of a fellow wanted by the authorities at Glendale, Wis. It is expected that an officer will soon arrive from there to look him over and see if he is the man they want. The crime committed is not stated.
—A wagon seat was found this morning calmly floating down Rock river. Where it came from and whether it was going, is a mystery. The owner of the same will confer a favor on the seat and on the public too if he will come forward and explain, with full particulars, if there was an accident or a sensation as the primal cause.
—The public will be glad to learn that Therom M. Stone, who formerly kept the Mt. Hope pleasure grounds at Clear Lake, has taken the Salisbury house at Beloit and will be pleased to receive a call from his old friends when visiting that city. Therom knows how to keep a hotel.
—The Walworth County Independent, published at Elkhorn says: "Mr. Holmes Huntress, of Janesville, has been in town the past week visiting his father, Mr. G. C. Huntress, and former acquaintances. Holmes has just invented and patented a trace buckle, which, for ease of adjustment, excels anything of the kind out."
—T. J. Clifton has purchased the interest of Mr. J. S. Clark in the blacksmith shop, on Myer street, just in the rear of the First National Bank. Mr. Clark will be retained in the shoeing department, and facilities are to be added for doing all kinds of jobbing and custom work. He expects to soon secure a wood-worker also. He will doubtless find the new enterprise a profitable one.
—Remember Gilmore to-night at the Baptist church. It will without doubt be the musical event of the season. The names of the great leader and his band are familiar to every household, and the fact that it is their farewell trip through the land before crossing the deep for Europe, adds fresh interest to the occasion. The programme will be substantially that which is to be rendered by the band at the Paris Exposition, and is replete with popular music. There will doubtless be a crush of eager listeners.
—The next debate of the Young Men's Association will be held at their room, Saturday evening, commencing at half-past seven o'clock. The question for discussion is the bill introduced into the Assembly by Mr. Kimball, providing for the appointment of a commission, consisting of three persons, their duties, salary, etc., to visit the county jails. Miss Levisia Goodell, who is understood to be the author of the bill, has been invited to be present and take part in the discussion. An interesting occasion is looked for. All are invited.

THE WEATHER.

The thermometer at 7 o'clock this morning stood at 26 degrees above and at 1 o'clock at 32 degrees above. One year ago at corresponding hours of the day the thermometer stood at 21 degrees and 45 degrees above. From over the wires it is reported that New York has had about eight inches of snow, Ohio, Michigan and Illinois have had lighter falls. At Milwaukee there is about an inch of snow. The indications to-day are colder, clear and partly cloudy weather, preceded at the south and east stations by snow areas, northeast and northwest winds, and rising barometer. The month of January just past, compares rather strikingly with the same month of last year. In January 1877 there were ten days in which the thermometer touched below zero at 7 o'clock in the morning, the total number of degrees below for the ten days being 90. In January 1878 there was but one such day and then the mercury only reached three degrees below. The past month there has not been a single touch of the kind at the hour stated.

TEMPERANCE SONS.

Arrangements have been made to have a joint convention of the Sons of Temperance of Walworth and Rock counties, at Sharon, Feb. 14th and 15th. Two of the meetings will be open to all, and Mr. Jeak L. Jones, of this city, and Mr. Eaton, of Beloit, have promised to speak and sing at these meetings. An interesting programme has been arranged and the exercises will doubtless prove of interest and profit to all the cold-water workers. It is now expected that a large representation will be present from this city and adjoining towns.

THE BELLOIT MAIL.

The new mail route between here and Beloit will be put in active operation Monday morning next. The contractor, Mr. J. E. Powers, has sub-let the same to Mr. S. L. Bibbins, of Beloit. The stage will leave Beloit at 8 o'clock, each morning, arriving at Janesville at 11 o'clock, and returning the same day will start from Janesville at 4 o'clock and arrive at Beloit about 7 o'clock, in the evening. The new arrangement will give the merchants and citizens of each place a much more speedy and convenient mode of communication than that afforded in the past.

ONE BY ONE.

Owen McDermott breathed his last about 7 o'clock this morning. He has been quite ill for nearly three months, and a portion of the time was a great sufferer, but last night he seemed to be more comfortable, and rested apparently easy, so that death came like a sudden blow upon his friends. Mr. McDermott moved to Janesville about twenty years ago from Hanover, N. H., where he has relatives still living. For about fifteen years he was in the employ of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad company as engineer leaving that business to engage in the liquor trade, in which he was engaged at the time of his death. He had reached his forty-eighth year and leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss. The funeral services will probably take place next Sunday.

MEASURING THE COTTON.

The first month of the new year shows an encouraging state of things at the cotton factory, and speaks well for the wisdom and enterprise of the present managers. During the month there were manufactured 9,529 pieces of cloth, the average length of each being 48 1/2 yards, the total number of yards being 461,816. Ambitious mathematicians can figure out for themselves how many yards a minute were sent forth from the looms. It will prove an easy way of getting up a surprise party on themselves. The goods consisted largely of the best grade of fine sheeting known to the trade as 56x64 pick goods. Even with this rush of business the company is behind in its orders, which keep crowding in faster than they come. Janesville may well take pride in having such a manufacturing interest in its midst.

FURTHER TIDINGS.

The citizens of Janesville and vicinity will doubtless read with interest further tidings concerning the so-called Dr. Hall, who left Janesville last fall, and whose career has been several times alluded to. It would seem from the following letter from Warsaw, Ind., to the Chicago Inter-Ocean, that he is up to his tricks yet:
"I feel it a duty to expose the operations of one of the worst class of confidence men or swindling thieves that the country is cursed with. A month ago, or little more, a very genteel and well-dressed individual came to this place representing himself to be 'Dr. Hall, the great catarrh specialist from Canada,' stating that his object in the visit was only to get two or three of the worst cases in town for the purpose of reference in an advertisement at the end of a month, when he would return; that he would contract to cure them for \$15, which was about one-third his regular price; that he would give them the recipe for the medicine (which he had instructed one of our druggists to put up for him), and they should pay him \$5 down and the remaining \$10 the 1st of June, provided he cured them, or if he did not cure them, he would refund the money. I being badly afflicted, and having tried almost everything, concluded to make the trial, taking his prescriptions and paying him the \$5, awaiting in the hope of recovery. And now, after waiting considerably over the time, I can hear nothing further from the scamp, and for the purpose of preventing his further impositions upon unfortunate, and a little satisfaction of my own, I would like to show him up in the largest circulating paper in the country. Respectfully yours
H. J. Mansfield."

CITY NOTICES.

Odoriferous Mouth.
Odoriferous Mouth renders the mouth enchanting. Composed of rare antiseptic, herbs, it imparts whiteness to the teeth, a delicious flower-like aroma to the breath and preserves intact, from youth to age, the teeth.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Ladies and Gents will always find the nicest and cheapest Box and Staple Stationery in the city and Sutherland's Bookstore, No. 29 Main street.
The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as a model establishment, will be an exception here after to the general complaint of high prices.
A few doses of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup cured my child of a most dreadful Cough. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best cough medicine I ever tried. Mrs. C. Knox, Cleveland, Ohio. Sold by E. B. Helmsstreet. Jan28daw1w

Dunbar's Wonderful Discovery.

Be-theads Water, the acknowledged cure of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney Affections of all nature and kinds, Dropsy, Incontinence of Urine, Bilious Affections, Dyspepsia and Gouty Swellings.
E. B. HELMSSTREET,
Sole Agent for this City.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, etc., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D, Bible House, New York City. sep17dcdwly

A Gentle Stim.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature, rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day, it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Doan's Kidney Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. Doan's Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial, 10c.; regular size, 75c. dec26dcd 1879w6w6m

For the Hair.
Nothing bespeaks the true lady or gentleman more forcibly than a neat, well arranged, glossy arranged head of hair. While many are more favored by nature than others, all may have fine appearing hair by a little care and attention. For a dressing nothing has yet been found to equal the oil of coconut, when properly mixed with one or two other ingredients. It is at once cooling, soothing, and penetrating. Brazilian Cocoa oil possesses these qualities, and is undoubtedly the dressing for the hair. For a wash for the head and scalp, as well as for the skin, Brazilian Retragador is recommended. Sold by Croft & Sherer, H. C. Stearns, A. J. Roberts. Jan28d1w

Our Changeful Climate.

Makes a reliable remedy for Throat and Lung Disorders necessary in every household. Parker's Ginger Tonic is just the medicine needed. It radically cures Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, and every complaint. If used in time, by its powerful specific action on the stomach, kidneys, skin, liver, and mucous surfaces of the Throat and Lungs. In this natural way it cleanses the waste matters from the blood, builds up the tissues, fortifies the system against further attacks, and permanently allays inflammation of the Throat, Lungs, and other organs. It cures Dyspepsia, and its varied symptoms of Headache, Nervousness, Palpitation of the Heart, Wakefulness, Acid Stomach, Constipation, Liver Complaints, Coated Tongue, Low Spirits, Rheumatic Pains, etc., and gives comfort after a hearty meal. Buy a \$1.00 bottle from your druggist, at J. C. Roberts, Janesville, Wis., or a sample bottle at 15 cts., and test its extraordinary merits. Jan28d1w

COMMERCIAL.

JANESVILLE MARKET.

REPORTED FOR THE GAZETTE BY BUNT & GRAY GRAIN AND PRODUCE DEALERS.
JANESVILLE, January 31
Flour—Patent \$3.00 per sack; Minnesota \$1.50 per sack; Wisconsin \$1.50 per sack.
Buckwheat Flour 2.50 per 100 lbs.
Rye Flour—\$3.00 per 100 lbs.
Wheat—Good to best milling spring 90¢/95 shipping grades 85¢/90.
Buckwheat 50¢/55c. according to quality and condition.
Rye—quiet at 42¢/44¢.
Barley—choice samples 40¢/45c; common to good quality 35¢/40c.
Corn—new shelled per 60 lbs. 30¢/31, new do 26¢/27; new ear 25¢/26c for 75 lbs.
Oats—good local and shipping demand at 19¢/21 for white; 18¢/20c for mixed.
Beans—good demand at 10¢/11 per bushel.
Lard—60c per 100; 50c per ton; Buckwheat per ton \$7.00.
Meal—coarse, 50c per 100; bolted \$2.00 per 100.
Middlings—5¢/10¢ per 100 lbs. Ton \$20.
Ground Feed—\$1.25 per 100 lbs. Ton \$20.
Timothy Seed—30¢/31 for 40 lbs according to quality.
Clover Seed—dull at \$3.50/4.25 per bushel.
Potatoes—Peach Blooms, 35¢/40c per bushel. Other varieties 30¢/35c.
Butter—good supply at 14¢/15c.
Eggs—fresh at 18¢/19c per doz.
Hens—Green, 6¢/7¢; call 10¢/11c. Dry, 13¢/15c.
Wool ranges at 35¢/36c; 1/2 of commercial bleached range at 30¢/31c each.
Dressed Hogs—range at 3.75/4.00 per 100 lbs for light and heavy.
Lard—\$3.00/3.25 per 100 lbs; Hogs 3.25/3.50 per 100 lbs.
Poultry—Turkey 42¢; Chickens 42¢.

Milwaukee Grain Market.

MILWAUKEE, January 31
Flour—Dull and nominal.
Wheat—Firm; the market opened and closed quiet; No. 1 Milwaukee hard 110; No. 1 Milwaukee 104; No. 2 do 106; February 104; March 106; No. 3 Milwaukee 99¢.
Corn—No. 3 39¢/40¢.
OATS—No. 2 33¢/34¢.
RYE—No. 1 30¢/31¢.
BARLEY—No. 2 spring 38¢/39¢.
PORK—mess 10 1/2 cash.
LARD—prime steam 7 3/4; kettle 7 1/2¢.
CATTLE—Range at 2.50 to 3.50, according to quality and grade.
DRESSED HOGS—4.25.
SHEEP—Range at 3.00 to 5.00 according to condition and weight.
SEEDS—Timothy 1.25/1.40; fax 1.20/1.30; clover 50¢/55¢.
BEANS—1.55/1.75.
BUTTER—Range from 12 to 30c.
EGGS—14¢/15c fresh.
CHEESE—12¢/13c.
HONEY—10¢/10 1/2¢.
WOOL—Washed 32¢/33c; unwashed 35¢/36c; tub washed 30¢/40¢; pulled 30¢/33c.
TALLOW—74¢/75¢.
HOPS—New 5¢/10c, old 3¢/5c.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, January 31
During the afternoon the markets were well attended, and trading was rather animated.
Wheat—The market on spring wheat was stronger to-day. Notwithstanding the foreign situation, taken in either a business or political way, was scarcely such as to encourage the bull interest, the prevailing feeling was comparatively satisfactory. At times during the day there was naturally some uneasiness, yet buyers in order to fill their orders were compelled to advance prices, and on both cash and future property the closing quotations were fully 1/4c higher than the figures current on the last board on yesterday. The trade, however, was mainly local, and there was nothing in the general condition of affairs to warrant the exhibition of any particular confidence in the market. Outside orders for cash grain were quite fair, and gilt-edge receipts of No. 2 met with a ready sale, closing steady at 1.03 1/2.
The latest report on No. 2 spring wheat was in fair speculative demand, but prices declined fully 1c; seller February sold at 1.03 1/2/1.04 1/4, closing at 1.03 1/4/1.03 1/2; seller March sold at 1.04 1/2/1.05, and closed at 1.04 1/2/1.04 1/4.
CORN—38 1/2¢ cash;
OATS—32 1/2¢ cash;
RYE—No. 4, 50¢.
BARLEY—New No. 2, 49¢/50¢.
PORK—cash 10 1/2¢/10 3/4¢.
LARD—cash 7 1/2¢/7 3/4¢.
DRESSED HOGS—\$4.25.
LIVE HOGS—3.80/4.10 according to grade.
WHISKY—1.08.
CHEESE—11 1/2¢/14¢.
EGGS—Fresh 19¢/13c.
BUTTER—14¢/20, according to quality.
POULTRY—turkeys 60¢/65c; chickens 42¢/50 per dozen.
TALLOW—3 1/2¢ No. 1.
BEANS—\$1.30/1.35.
BROOM CORN—6 1/2¢/7c, according to quality.
WOOL—Washed 40¢/43; unwashed 35¢/36; tub washed, fair to good, 37¢/41.

New York Grain and Produce Market.

NEW YORK, January 31
Flour—A fair export demand for state to western shipping extras at 52¢/53, at which 3,500 bbls sold in line, delivered; good winter wheat extras in fair export demand at 52¢/53; buckwheat flour in light demand at 19¢/20; rye flour a weak, dull market.
Wheat—An advance on first call; on 'Change only a light milling and export demand for white and No. 1 and No. 2 spring wheats at yesterday's prices.
COTTON—Memphis quotation 10 1/2¢.
CORN—50¢ western;
OATS—31 1/2¢/32 1/2¢; 96¢/97 white western;
RYE—western 71¢.
BARLEY—55¢.
PORK—11 7/8¢/12 1/8¢ cash.
LARD—7 1/2¢/7 3/4¢.
SUGAR—arm but quiet; refined 9 1/2¢/9 3/4¢.
MOLASSES—New Orleans 52¢/54¢.
PETROLEUM—4 1/2¢ crude; refined 11 1/2¢.
LEATHER—dull.
WOOL—domestic fleece 32¢/33; pulled 18¢/19; Texas 14¢/15; unwashed 10¢/11.
COFFEES—Rio 15¢/16¢ gold; jobbing 15 1/2¢/16¢ gold.

TALLOW—Firm; 7 1/2¢.
CHEESE—7¢/12 1/2¢.
BUTTER—Western 92¢/93¢.
EGGS—Western 10¢/11c.
TURPENTINE—37 1/2¢.
NAPHTHA—84¢.
HOPS—Western 6¢/9c.
BEEF—Western 9c.
RICE—4 1/2¢/5c.

New York Monetary Market.

NEW YORK, January 31
Money: 5/16 per cent.
Sterling exchange 44.8 1/2 long; 45 1/2 short.
Gold 101 1/2.
Government firm.
State bonds quiet.
Stocks—weak.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

AFTER GIVING 500 CONCERTS in New York, the Great Contralto, GILMORE, in his victorious advance

ON TO TO Attend the Farewell Tour of the EUROPE!
Will reach JANESVILLE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, and with the superb organs located which will represent America at the Paris Exposition, the world-renowned

GILMORE'S ARTISTS' BAND!
Famous Concert Organization.
Assisted by a brilliant array of solo talent, including the charming American soprano, MISS JULIET FENDERSON; the marvelous Saxophone soloist, LAPEERE, late of the French band; Mr. BENT, the Brilliant Cornetist; Mr. BLANCH, the Celebrated Flutist, besides the distinguished soloists of GILMORE'S BAND, will give

A GRAND Baptist Church
Friday, Feb. 1. **CONCERT**
For which the sale of seats begins at Mosley's Bookstore, Janesville.

TO-MORROW
Morning, and will continue during the week, that all who may desire to attend may have an opportunity to secure seats at the extraordinary price of

50 RESERVED SEAT 75
Remember reserved seats for sale at Mosley's Bookstore. EXCURSION PARTIES can secure seats by telegraph or mail.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO THE PUBLIC!
The undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Janesville and vicinity, that he has recently purchased J. B. Clark's interest in the

Blacksmith Shop
Formerly occupied by him, located on River St., in the rear of the First National Bank, in Janesville, which has formerly by Mr. Clark as a shoeing shop exclusively.
We would say to the old patrons that the proprietor has secured the services of Mr. Clark in the shoeing department. Also that we are prepared to do all kinds of

JOBGING and CUSTOM WORK!

usually done in a Blacksmith shop, also that we expect to add a Wood Worker to the place in a few days.
J. J. CLIFTON, Proprietor.

MISCELLANEOUS.

PERSONAL!
ALL MEN AND BOYS DESIROUS OF PURCHASING WINTER GOODS AT LOW PRICES, WILL LEARN SOMETHING TO THEIR ADVANTAGE BY CALLING AT SMITH & SON'S LITTLE CLOTHING STORE, ON THE CORNER OF MAIN AND MILWAUKEE STREETS.

GROCERIES, & C.

DUPEHAMS, BACON, and DRIED
Beef, cheaper than ever at DENNISTON'S.
FINNIAN HADDIES, Halibut, Yarmouth Bloater, and Scaled Herrings, DENNISTON'S.

LANFAIR'S Celebrated Challenge Fresh Oysters, received direct from Baltimore, at DENNISTON'S.

TO ARRIVE this week from New York: Cross & Blackwell's Ported Meats, in fancy jars, Sausages in porcelain wares, Paul De Ver's Salt of Celery, Salate Dressing, Robinson's Barley Flour, Leibig's Extract of Meat, &c., at DENNISTON'S.
Jan18d1w 49 West Milwaukee street.

Something that the Workingmen Should Know!
As well as all others who purchase Groceries and Provisions, that

VANKIRK, the GROCER!
Is selling the best 50c New Crop Japan Tea in the city. All grades of Sugars at CHICAGO PRICES, freight added.

Finest English Breakfast and Oolong Tea	50
Finest Young Hyson Tea	100
Best 20 Pie Peaches	25
" 30 "	15
" 30 Table Yellow Peaches	15
" 30 "	15
" 1 Gal. Canned Apples, preserved	40
" 30 Canned Tomatoes	15
" Canned Corn	15
" Canned Beans	15
" Cove Oysters	12 1/2
" Dried Blackberries	10
" Prunes	10
" California Peaches	12 1/2
" Raisins	12 1/2
" Rio Coffee	25
" Old Government Java Coffee	30
" Fine Cut Tobacco	50
" Very Good "	40
" Prime Spanish Smoking "	40
" 6 Havana Billed Cigars for "	25
" 8 Choice Domestic Cigars for "	25
" Best 101 Butter	20
" Butter in tin	20
" Choice Potatoes per bushel	40
" The Celebrated Diamond Brand Raw Oysters, per can	25
" The above Oysters warranted the best in the city. All grades of Flour at Mill Prices. The largest and most complete stock of Staple and Fancy Groceries in the city to select from. Goods sold for CASH and CASH ONLY, unless by agreement. Goods delivered free of charge. Call and see me, and SAVE MONEY.	

Yours, Respectfully,
W. T. VANKIRK.

OYSTERS
25 Cents Per Can
Best in the City!
We are now receiving our celebrated, fine flavored

Raw Oysters!
Every day, direct from Baltimore, and shall in future be prepared to furnish ALL with them, and every one can rely on getting the worth of their money. EVERY CAN WARRANTED.
We are also selling best Japan Tea at 90c per pound, and a new crop Japan Tea at 50c per pound, which cannot be beat. Any one purchasing a pound of it, and not being fully satisfied can return it and the money will be refunded if desired.

Best Oolong, Black or English Breakfast Tea, per pound	90
" Choice Y. H. Tea	100
" Good "	75
" Best Gunpowder Tea	100
" Best 20 Pie Peaches, per can	25
" 30 "	15
" 30 Tomatoes	20
" Choice 30 "	15
" Best Yarmouth Corn "	20
" Pineapple "	20
" Oysters in the city	25

And all other

STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES!

as cheap as the cheapest for CASH.
Every one who is owing us will confer a favor by paying up their accounts and notes without further delay, and oblige.
Yours, Respectfully,
G. W. HAWES.
Rooms to rent in Drake block, on Milwaukee street, suitable for lawyer's offices or milliner's rooms; also suit of rooms and hall in same block. Terms reasonable, enquire at G. W. Hawes' Grocery House.

Something New!
—IN—

JANESVILLE.
—IN—

A CASH GROCERY HOUSE.
—IN—

To the People of Rock Co.
Allow us to call your attention to the fact that we have

At No. 7 SOUTH MAIN ST.
Opened with an entire

NEW STOCK!
—IN THE—

GROCERY LINE!
And will sell them

For Cash Only!
At prices that will show every family that

THE WAY TO SAVE MONEY!
—IS TO—

BUY FOR CASH.
All who favor us with a call shall be satisfied that our motto—

"CHEAP FOR CASH!"
is just the thing. Do not fail to look at our stock one and all.

GILES FISHER,
No. 7 South Main St., Janesville, Wis.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

DYKES' SEAR'S ELIXIR
This Elixir is a most valuable remedy for all cases of nervous debility, premature decay, loss of manhood, and all disorders brought on by excesses. Any druggist has it. Price 50c. Address as above.

MANHOOD RESTORED.
Victims of youthful imprudence, who have tried in vain every known remedy, will learn of a simple prescription, FREE, for the speedy cure of nervous debility, premature decay, loss of manhood, and all disorders brought on by excesses. Any druggist has it. Price 50c. Address as above.

DAVIDSON & CO., 26 Nassau St., N. Y.
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HOUSE AND LOT
For Sale or Trade

The house is new, situated near the high school building in the first ward, on Pearl street; desirable location. Will trade for a farm south or east of Janesville—farm of 100 to 150 acres—or will trade for stock of goods—groceries or dry goods. Will trade the house and stock of goods for a farm. Must be well improved. Will rent the house to a good tenant. Enquire of
S. W. HUBBELL
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CLOSING OUT SALE OF

Ladies' Furs!

Having Determined to make a Clean Sweep of all our FURS before the close of the Season, we have this morning placed all our MINK, SEAL, LYNX and ALASKA sets, and all of our CHILDREN'S FURS on our

FRONT COUNTER.

—formerly our Celebrated 5 Cent Counter—at a REDUCTION OF 50 PER CENT. from December Prices.

The Ladies of Janesville are invited to an early Examination of the

Great BARGAINS
Now displayed on our

FUR COUNTER

McKEY & BRO.,
24 and 26 Main street, Janesville, Wis.
Sign of the Golden Sheep.

DR. PRICE'S

Cream Baking Powder Special Flavoring Extracts

Eminent Chemists and Physicians certify that these goods are free from adulteration, richer, more effective, produce better results than any others, and that they use them in their own families.

DR. PRICE'S Unique Perfumes are the Gems of all Odors. Toothene, an exquisite Liquid Dentifrice.

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